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What's Plumbing

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Are water lines to soda dispensers considered plumbing? Yes, if the line carries drinking water, it's considered plumbing.

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What part of a dialysis system is considered plumbing and who can install the system? The entire dialysis system is considered to be part of the plumbing within a health care facility. A fully-licensed plumber (apprentice, JP or MP) may install the entire system. A restricted-appliance plumber may install the plumbing from an existing pipe and through the last water treatment device. A fully-licensed plumber must install the piping from the last treatment device to the dialysis stations.

SPS 381.01(176) - 6/6/00

When is a depression in the floor considered plumbing? When a grated trench is installed in a building, it is considered a plumbing fixture and must be properly drained and disposed of as in SPS 382.10(8). The only exception to this is when the depression or pit is a containment device for hazardous waste.

SPS 382.01(176) - 3/1/05

When is the piping within a kiosk not considered to be under the authority of SPS 382? A kiosk that is mobile (one that has wheels) would not be considered a building and the piping inside would not be required to comply with the plumbing code.